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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of :Vulpitta, et al.  
Title :ANTI-TELESCOPING  
ADHESIVE TAPE PRODUCT  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed January 16, 2004. This application is on behalf of other than a small entity. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is \$330.00. The required fee is enclosed herewith.

If the submitted fee is insufficient for the Notice of Appeal and/or for any required extension of time, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. This sheet is submitted in triplicate to facilitate any such charge.

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